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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

In response to the office action mailed May 4, 2006, Applicant submits the following amendment and remarks. This paper is filed on or before the expiration of three (3) months after mailing of the Office Action, so is considered to be timely submitted.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.